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ITS USES, AND MAKEUP KIT)
COMPRISING THE PRODUCT)

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Sir:

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Copies of the listed foreign and non-patent literature documents are attached.

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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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1. WO 02/39961 A1 - This document is believed to be a foreign language counterpart to U.S. Patent Application Publication 2002/164297 A1.
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4. EP 1 034 776 A1 - The abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
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8. EP 0 930 060 A1 - This document is believed to be a foreign language counterpart to U.S. Patent No. 6,254,877 B1.

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Applicants have enclosed a copy of the priority application's French Search Report for the Examiner's consideration.

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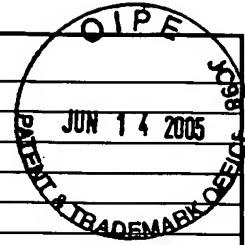
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